

**Indiana Division of Fish and Wildlife**

**PUBLIC NOTICES – January 31, 2014**

**Expansion of parking lot at Midland Lake located on Hillenbrand FWA**

Where:

Hillenbrand FWA in Greene County, Indiana

Description:

Indiana Department of Natural Resources proposes to expand the existing Midland Lake parking lot at Hillenbrand Fish and Wildlife Area. This is the primary fishing/boating public access point for the FWA. Work to be completed includes widening, grading and placing gravel on the existing parking area to accommodate more anglers. The project area has been extensively disturbed by strip mining and restoration. Federal funds will be used from the Wildlife and Sport Fish Restoration program through the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (FWS).

The site is located at 0.5 miles east of State Road 59 on County Road 700 North, in the NW ¼ of NW ¼, Section 22, Twp. 8N, Rng. 7W, Wright Township, Greene County.

The Division of Fish and Wildlife wishes to solicit comments about any potential impacts to environmental, cultural, and historical resources. Please send comments to: Travis Stoelting, IDNR Division of Fish and Wildlife, 1815 S State Road 59, Linton, IN 47441, or to [tstoelting@dnr.in.gov](mailto:tstoelting@dnr.in.gov).

## **Proposed stabilization for Teal Marsh and Mauxferry Marsh at Atterbury FWA**

### **Where:**

Atterbury FWA, Johnson County, Indiana

### **Description:**

This project will be conducted under a Wildlife and Sport Fish Restoration grant that uses federal funds for property management. This project involves the placement of riprap along two marshes at Atterbury Fish and Wildlife Area (Teal and Mauxferry Marshes) in order to improve levee and shoreline stabilization. The marshes are man-made and as such, have been previously disturbed. Project activities are expected to remain within previously disturbed areas.

Project location for Mauxferry Marsh is as follows, NW quarter of Section 30, Township 11N, Range 5E, in Blue River Township, Johnson County, Indiana. Franklin Quadrangle.

GPS Coordinates-Latitude 39.368630 Longitude -86.021076

Project location for Teal Marsh, is as follows, SW quarter of Section 23, Township 11N, Range 4E, in Nineveh Township, Johnson County, Indiana. Franklin Quadrangle.

GPS Coordinates-Latitude 39.378626 Longitude -86.064560

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## **Proposed placement of federal interest on Wilbur Wright Fish and Wildlife Area**

Where:

Wilbur Wright FWA, Henry County, Indiana

Description:

The Indiana Division of Fish and Wildlife seeks to place approximately 1,030 acres in the Land Bank program, by which this value of land can be used as state match to acquire lands with federal funds. Once the land value is used as state match, federal interest is placed on the property. Meaning, federal restrictions apply to the property, including Section 106 reviews for future project proposals. This will be accomplished with the assistance of a Wildlife Restoration grant from the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service.

The proposal is an administrative action. This review request does not have any associated physical actions (modifications to structures or ground disturbance) with the placement of federal interest on state-owned land.

The property is located in parts of Section 1, Section 2, and Section 3 of Township 17 North Range 10 East, and Sections 35 and 36 of Township 18 North Range 10 East in Henry County, Indiana.

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